



**LYDIA
KROESE**
INTERIOR DESIGNER

PROFILE

May 2024 graduate in Interior Design.

Passionate about human-centered design, natural light, and color.

Excellent communicator, creative, detail-oriented, and a lifelong learner.

Previous training and experience as a professional librarian.

Seeking an entry-level designer position that will expand skills and create opportunities in workplace design, healthcare, or another area of commercial design.

PORTFOLIO

<https://krolydp.myportfolio.com/>

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EDUCATION

Dunwoody College of Technology

Minneapolis, MN

Bachelor of Science, Interior Design | May 2024

University of Iowa

Iowa City, IA

Master of Arts, Library Science (MLS) | 1994

Dordt University

Sioux Center, IA

Bachelor of Arts, Applied Physics | 1993

Engineering, Physics, Music Education coursework

WORK EXPERIENCE

BDH Design | Interior Design Studio Intern

June 2023-present

Full-time June-August 2023; 50-60% FTE September-present

- Maintain design studio material library
- Support designers with material selection and product specifications
- Develop positive relationships with product representatives

Hennepin County Library | Intermittent Substitute Librarian

February 2015-February 2020

On-call substitute librarian for large county library system

- Outgoing customer service focused
- Thorough knowledge of library resources
- Flexible and supportive toward colleagues

Avail Academy [Calvin Christian School] |

Elementary School Librarian/Media Specialist; Substitute Teacher

September 1995-May 2001

Media Specialist for elementary campus of ~250 students

Technology Coordinator for two elementary campuses

- Developed and taught Information Skills curriculum K-8
- Consultation and implementation of new technology initiative at multiple campuses
- Led staff development in adoption of classroom technology
- Structured library policies and procedures
- Implemented lesson plans of varied subjects and grade levels.

SKILLS

Communication

Research & Concept

Creativity

Revit, AutoCAD, Adobe Suite

Organization